

### Gov. Cox and The President

Gov. Cox and President Wilson have given expressions to their fundamental unity of thought on the League of Nations. The Democratic nominee enters the campaign pledged to carry on the Wilson ideals to the best of his ability. He does not use such sweeping language as the president in describing the accord between them, but he goes far enough to justify the statement that he stands on the general Wilsonian conception of the league. The covenant as it stands is acceptable to Gov. Cox, and he would propose or consent to reservations, not because he believed them vital to America, but purely as a compromise to secure a two-thirds vote in the senate.

The question therefore arises whether Gov. Cox and President Wilson, agreeing in principle, are alike in temperament. Does Gov. Cox, in subscribing to Mr. Wilson's ideals, also take over the peculiar inability of the president to deal harmoniously with the senate? Is he equally uncompromising? Would he antagonize the senate unnecessarily, and having antagonized it, defeat the treaty rather than accept the consequences of the antagonism?

A specific answer is hardly needed. Gov. Cox does not bear one of the earmarks of the Wilson personality. Where the president is reserved, Gov. Cox is free and easy in his manner. The president is a recluse; the governor is a mixer. The president has an intense pride of opinion; no evidence of such a trait exists in the public career of Gov. Cox. Among all the men who stand high in public life in America, it would be hard to name one who would duplicate the president's misadventure with the senate. One of the last to be thought of, as a man who could block his own cherished designs through egocentricity, would be Gov. Cox.

It is this vitally important difference which Senator Harding and other Republicans will ignore. They will seek to charge Gov. Cox with every one of the unique personal handicaps of President Wilson. Every day or two, and sometimes twice a day, Senator Harding gets into print with a statement intended to tie Gov. Cox to that side of the Wilson phenomenon which brot about the defeat of the treaty in the senate last March. Gov. Cox, on the contrary, concerns himself with the fundamental right or wrong of the great work which President Wilson has done for America and the world.

The league issues must be fought out on fundamentals. Those who believe in the League of Nations, in its general aspects, can find no outlet for their views except in the Cox candidacy. Those who sincerely believe in the league, with reservations which they consider vital, will have to decide whether to endorse the league despite its deficiencies, or oppose it because of them.

A political campaign tends to heighten the differences of opinion which exist at the outset. The opposition to the League of Nations which Senator Harding already has expressed seems destined to develop into a general Republican campaign against the League. If this campaign runs true to form, there will be no middle ground. The November referendum will be for and against American membership in the league.—St. Louis Star.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Hechler and children of Philadelphia, Pa. after a visit of ten days with the parents of Mr. Hechler, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hechler south of Dalton, left for their home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernst and children enjoyed a motor trip to Salisbury Wednesday evening.

Smoke Sultana.

### ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

In the Circuit Court of Chariton County, at Salisbury, in vacation to September Term, 1920.

Minnie Morrison Plaintiff vs. Mina Barbour Morrison, George Morrison, Olof Nelson, Howard M. Holden, Samuel M. Smith, Trustee for Rebecca Webb and Frank J. Bowman; Frank J. Bowman, Britton A. Hill, James E. Kaime, Rebecca Webb, Clarke Whittier, Adamantine Johnson, Sophia Reimer, Union National Bank of Chicago; Jonathan L. Sollars, John W. Price, James D. Price, Cyrus T. Kimmell, William C. Applegate, Elvira V. Patterson and Mary M. Craig, if they or any of them be living; and if they or any of them be dead, then the unknown heirs, widows, widowers, assignees, devisees, donees, alienees, or immediate, mesne or remote, voluntary or involuntary grantees of such as may be dead; and the unknown husband, wife, spouse or consort of such as may be living, if any there be; and the unknown husband, spouse, consort or widow of Mary V. Moulton; and the unknown owners and holders of the shares and capital stock of the First National Bank of Kansas City, Missouri; and the unknown owners, holders and assignees of the Chariton and Randolph Railroad Company; and the unknown owners, holders and assignees of the shares and capital stock of said railroad company; and the unknown owners, holders and assignees of the shares and capital stock of the North Missouri Railroad Company. Defendants The state of Missouri to the above named or described defendants, greeting:

You are hereby notified that an action has been commenced against you in the Circuit Court of Chariton County, Missouri, affecting the title to the following described lands and tenements, to-wit:

The south half of the southeast quarter, and the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section thirty-three (33), township fifty-five (55) range twenty-one (21); the east half of the northeast quarter, and the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section four (4); the west half of section three (3); the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter, and the east half of the northwest quarter of section ten (10); being in township fifty-four (54) range twenty-one (21), Chariton County, Missouri, except the railroad right-of-way through the last described tract.

Which said action is returnable on the first day of the next term of said court to be held at the court house in the City of Salisbury, Chariton County, Missouri, on the 20th day of September, 1920, when and where you may appear and answer or otherwise defend such action; otherwise plaintiff's petition will be taken as confessed and judgment rendered accordingly.

And it is ordered by the undersigned clerk of said court in vacation, that a copy hereof be published in the Chariton Courier, a newspaper published in the Chariton County, Missouri, and published at least once a week for 4 weeks successively, the last insertion to be at least 30 days before the first day of said term of court.

W. G. WRIGHT, Clerk. A true copy of the record. Witness my hand as clerk and the seal of said court this July 19, 1920. (Seal) W. G. WRIGHT, Clerk.

### Dean Lake

A. L. Woods started the elevator running Monday and is now in shape to buy wheat and give market prices.

Buck Evilsizer has a new Ford car.

Bert Kimble received a message Sunday evening that his mother at Fairfax, Mo., had died of heart trouble. Mrs. B. Kimble had just come home from there and Mrs. Kimble was feeling fine when she left. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kimble left for his mother's home Sunday night.

Quite a few attended the ice cream supper given at the Dean Lake Baptist church Wednesday night. They took in \$40.03.

Miss Stella Frye of Carrollton was a guest of Mesdames Mack Underwood and Chas. Clark a few days last week.

Mrs. Goldie Isle and two sons of Norborne were visiting relatives here last week.

Mrs. Geo. Taggart and children of Carrollton attended the ice cream supper Wednesday night and visited with friends.

Miss Hettie West of Sumner visited here Thursday.

Miss Essie Bebee is visiting friends in Carrollton this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Crandell of Kansas are visiting their children here at present.

### Senator Harding Accepts

Today was a great one for Marion Ohio. Senator Harding notified the world thru the press and the hundreds who gathered at the Mecca of Republicans that he would accept the nomination for president and declared his views on paramount subjects. On the question of prohibition he said: "People will ever differ about the wisdom of the enactment of a law; there is divided opinion regarding the eighteenth amendment and the laws enacted to make it operative but there can be no difference of opinion about honest law enforcement. Modification or repeal is the right of a free people, whenever the deliberate and intelligent public sentiment commands, but perversions and evasion mark the paths to the failure of government itself."

This don't suit the prohibition party composed principally of men and women sailing under the false cognomen of anti-saloon leaguers. The leaders of the aggregation say that Harding if president, will sign any bill enacted by congress intended to repeal the Volstead or any similar law. Undoubtedly that is what the republican nominee intended to convey.

On the subject of the league of nations, Harding was equally as clear in his view that this government should determine its own responsibilities to foreign nations in every instance nor shun a single responsibility.

The bid republican leaders made for the prohibition party vote is rejected and it may be that the party will name a candidate and conduct a firecracker campaign since the democratic platform on the question of prohibition does not jibe.

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William R. Robbins Plaintiff vs. Nathaniel Wharf, David Wharf, John Moore, Frederick Bainbridge, Nancy Stanwood, Levi Younger and Jane Younger, his wife; Jane Babson, Benjamin Lombard, Jr., James Lombard, Lewis Lombard, Josiah L. Lombard, Levi F. Stevens, John Roth, Jacob Heiman, Elizabeth Roth, Frederick Roth, Christopher Roth, Eli Riggles, John B. Cameron, James D. Cameron, William W. Riddell, Cyrus H. Riddell, Emma Riddell, Harry Riddell, Rosalee Riddell Wilson and Floyd Wilson, her husband; Fearn Riddell, Marjorie Riddell, William F. Riddell and Eunice Riddell, his wife; Charles A. Riddell and Martha Riddell, his wife; Claude A. Menney and Charles K. Mauney, her husband; Vonella V. Long and William Long, her husband, if they or any of them be living; and if they or any of them be dead, then the unknown heirs, widow, widowers, assignees, devisees, donees, alienees, or immediate, mesne or remote, voluntary or involuntary grantees of such as may be dead; and the unknown husband, wife, consort or spouse of such as may be living, if any there be; Sarah A. Chapman and Henry E. Chapman, her husband. Defendants The state of Missouri to the above named or described defendants, greeting:

You are hereby notified that an action has been commenced against you in the Circuit Court of Chariton County, Missouri, affecting the title to the following described lands and tenements, to-wit:

All of lot two (2); also, beginning at the southeast corner of said lot two (2), thence north 87 feet and 2 inches, thence run east to the center of West Yellow Creek, thence north until it intersects the south line of what was formerly known as the J. S. Bixby land, and to what is known as the north line of lot one (1), thence west along said north line of said lot one (1) to the northwest corner of said lot one (1), thence south along the west line of said lot to a point 30 feet north of the northwest corner of lot four (4), thence east 2.93 chains to a point 30 feet north of the northwest corner of lot two (2), thence south 30 feet to the northwest corner of said lot two (2), thence east to the northeast corner of said lot two (2), thence south to the place of beginning; and being in the village of Rothville; and being a part of the southeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section twenty (20), township fifty-six (56), range nineteen (19), Chariton County, Missouri.

Which said action is returnable on the first day of the next term of said court to be held in the City of Salisbury, Chariton County, Missouri, on the 20th day of September, 1920,

when and where you may appear and answer or otherwise defend such action; otherwise plaintiff's petition will be taken as confessed and judgment rendered accordingly.

It is ordered by the undersigned clerk of said court in vacation, that a copy hereof be published in the Chariton Courier, a newspaper published in Chariton County, Missouri, and published at least once a week for 4 weeks successively, the last insertion to be at least 30 days before the first day of said term of said court.

W. G. WRIGHT, Clerk. A true copy of the record. Witness my hand as clerk and the seal of said court, this July 19, 1920. (Seal) W. G. WRIGHT, Clerk.

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John J. Coy Plaintiff vs. Joseph Hallas, John P. Williams, John Harrison, David Peterever, William David Peterever, John C. Crawley, trustee; August Gehner, trustee in trust for Elizabeth C. Gommersall; Elizabeth C. Gommersall, L. M. Applegate, A. J. Agee, Edwin W. Price, John G. Moore, Sarah E. Shackelford, Fanny H. Montague, John W. Harrison, Orrell N. Harrison, George B. Harrison, Beverly Hamner, Hudson M. Hamner, John Hamner, Mordica Howison, Mordica Howison, Wilmoth Hacker, Wilmoth Howison, if they or any of them be living; and if they or any of them be dead, then the unknown heirs, widows, widowers, assignees, devisees, donees, alienees, or immediate, mesne or remote, voluntary or involuntary grantees of such as may be dead; and the unknown husband or wife of such as may be living, if any there be. Defendants The state of Missouri to the above named or described defendants, greeting:

You are hereby notified that an action has been commenced against you in the Circuit Court of Chariton County, Missouri, affecting the title to the following described lands and tenements, to-wit:

Beginning at a rock at the northwest corner of section twenty-two (22), township fifty-three (53), range eighteen (18), thence west 14.59 chains to the center of the Chariton river; thence south 75 degrees west 2.59 chains, thence south 69 degrees west 2.87 chains, thence south 72 degrees west 1.81 chains, thence south 1.50 chains, thence south 14 degrees east 10.34 chains, thence south 2.87 chains, thence south 3 degrees west 4.30 chains, thence south 37 degrees west 3.44 chains, thence south 13 1/2 degrees east 5.29 chains to Huckaback private road; thence south 77 degrees east 5.29 chains to the public road; thence north 50 degrees east 3.17 chains, thence north 43 degrees east 5.58 chains, thence north 20 degrees east 0.58 chains, thence south 61 degrees east 2.97 chains to a point that is 17 chains south of the beginning, thence south 1 degrees east 13.76 chains, thence south 3 degrees east 8.76 chains to the center of the public road, thence north 1.60 chains thence north 10 1/2 degrees east 7.77 chains, thence north 6 degrees west 4.59 chains, thence north 8 1/2 degrees east 2.35 chains, thence north 11 degrees east 1.48 chains to a point that is 29.52 chains east of the place of beginning; thence north 10 degrees east 3.78 chains, thence north 23 degrees west 4.56 chains, thence north 39 degrees west 1.67 chains, thence north 67 degrees west 2.61 chains, thence north 87 degrees west 9.54 chains, thence north 72 degrees west 3.07 chains, thence north 1.80 chains to the center of the Chariton river, thence south 52 degrees west 6.39 chains, thence south 55 degrees west 4.26 chains to a point that is 7.29 chains north of the place of beginning, thence south 67 degrees west 4.51 chains, thence south 64 degrees west 2.27 chains, thence south 69 degrees west 8.82 chains, thence east 14.59 chains to the place of beginning; and being in Chariton County, Missouri.

Which said action is returnable on the first day of the next term of said court to be held at the court house in the City of Salisbury, Chariton County, Missouri, on the 20th day of September, 1920, when and where you may appear and answer or otherwise defend such action; otherwise plaintiff's petition will be taken as confessed and judgment rendered accordingly.

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W. G. WRIGHT, Clerk. A true copy of the record. Witness my hand as clerk, and the seal of said court, this July 19, 1920. (Seal) W. G. WRIGHT, Clerk.

### Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

Hayes and White have another car load of Overland cars on hand and ready to sell and deliver.

### How to Flee the Fleas.

Putting a flea between two bricks, using a claw-hammer, and the thumb-nail method, are not the only three ways to destroy the acrobatic summer enemy of dogs and folks.

Common salt is one of the cheapest and best flea "fixers."

To clean up and prevent the increasing of the flea population, first rake out, sweep out, and burn the litter from all infested woodsheds, barns, hog houses, dog kennels, and basements. Then, second, sprinkle down the floor or ground with water, immediately after having spread the surface with a thin covering of common dry salt, being careful to not use enough water to make the salt "run."

Repeat this "salt and water" treatment every three days until the place is free from fleas.

The investigators of the Bureau of Entomology of the United States Department of Agriculture approve and recommend "salting" the fleas in the manner here reported by the State Board of Agriculture.

### Body of Missourian Who Feared Being Buried Alive Held in Ice.

Joshua Bays, aged resident of Jericco Springs, Cedar County, who had a fear he'd be buried alive, requested that his body be packed in ice three days after death then to be buried, if no signs of life were present, without embalming.

His relatives complied with his request, hauling 500 pounds of ice from Lamar. Bays was more than 80 years

In earlier days he was known throughout Southwest Missouri as the owner of Black Rat, a horse that ran in races without a rider.

### MICKIE SAYS

IT TAKES SUBSCRIPTIONS, ADVERTISING 'N' JOB PRINTING, TO KEEP TH' HOME PAPER ROOTING TH' HORN FOR THE OLD HOME TOWN. AN' THE MORE BUSINESS, THE MORE TOOT 'N' TH' MORE TOOT, TH' MORE TOWN, SO DRAG IN HER BUSINESS



### Screech Owls Raid Town.

Screech owls have moved into Girard, Kansas, and almost have taken possession of the town, according to news stories. Not content with finding homes in the thick forests near the city the birds have assumed a belligerent attitude and numerous attacks upon persons have been reported.

With the coming of darkness the owls go into action and bother residents on the streets, in their yards and even on their porches. Persons sitting on their porches in the evening or walking on the streets are not carrying umbrellas because they are afraid of the moon or deranged. They have adopted a common method of defense against the owls.

Pearl Bond, a Girard man, going home a few nights ago, was hit on the back of the head. Believing he had been attacked by footpads Bond dropped a suitcase and ran. He found that an owl was his assailant.

Mrs. J. M. Miley, wife of the county superintendent of schools while in the Miley back yard, was struck on the forehead by an owl and all but knocked down.

George Duff, a farmer living west of Girard, was knocked down by an owl a few nights ago. He ran for cover. The next morning before day dawn he ventured out again. Several owls flew at him and one struck him in the eye. Duff went to a specialist at Pittsburg, who examined the eye and advised him that his sight would never be fully restored.

J. H. McCoy, Girard jeweler, suffered two attacks at his home. The first time he said, he believed he had "suffered a stroke." D. H. Woolley, Girard lawyer, has killed six owls in his yard.

### A. W. JOHNSON Attorney - at - Law

NOTARY PUBLIC Will Practice in all the State Courts SALISBURY, MISSOURI.

It is now practically apparent that judge H. S. Priest will be the nominee for the U. S. Senate the Democratic ticket. Who is he? Here are a few facts pertaining to the man and his career. Henry Samuel Priest was born in Ralls county, Mo. Feby. 7, 1853, his father from Virginia and his mother from Kentucky, poor farmers when he was a lad. He went to the country schools and later graduated at Westminster college in 1872. Went to relatives in Kentucky and studied law in the office of Major M. E. Houston, a relative of Gen. Sam Houston, famous in the work of carving out the republic of Texas. Judge Priest is of the Houston family. Admitted to the bar at Hannibal in 1873, opened a little law office in Moberly, was city attorney and rapidly grew to distinction by successful prosecution of damage suits against the Wabash railroad for destruction of stock and grain and hay. Became one of the attorneys for the Missouri Pacific railroad, later for the Wabash, moved to St. Louis and has resided there since. In 1890 he was made general attorney for Missouri Pacific railroad. In 1894 president Cleveland appointed Mr. Priest Judge of the United States District Court at St. Louis, filling the vacancy caused by the death of judge Thayer. The office is one for life if the holder desires to hold it so long, but judge Priest preferred the practice of law rather than the high position on the federal bench and resigned in 1895 and became a member of the big law firm of Boyle, Priest and Lehmann. Frederick W. Lehmann accepting appointment to a big government position a few years ago, the firm became Boyle and Priest of which judge Priest is still a member. Judge Priest has been one of the Board of Trustees of his alma mater for years and has always been devoted to Westminster College. He is a member of the Grand Avenue Presbyterian church, a 32nd degree Mason and thru both the York and Scottish Rites. He believes in applied christianity and endorses the two principal agencies thru which it is expressed, ie; the Catholic Sisterhood and The Salvation Army. He is in vigorous health, possesses a mind filled with facts from experience and, as Missouri made no mistake in the selections of Benton, Cockrell, Vest, Stone and Reed, she will make no blunder when she places the toga on the shoulders of her native son, Judge Henry S. Priest.

### Final Settlement Notice

Creditors and all others interested in the estate of George G. Schulte deceased, are hereby notified that at the next Regular term of the Chariton County Probate court, to be begun and held on the Second Monday in August 1920 at the Court House in Keytesville, in said County, I shall make final settlement of said estate.

J. B. Schulte, Administrator.

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### CASTORIA. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Street sprinkling in spots. The spots do not connect but the dust does.

### Final Settlement Notice

Creditors and all others interested in the estate of William H. Wilson deceased, are hereby notified that at the next regular term of the Chariton County Probate Court, to be begun and held on the second Monday in August 1920, at the Court House in Keytesville, in said County, I shall make final settlement of said estate.

C. L. Wilson, Administrator.

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